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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :

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: EXAMINER: C. FOX

SERIAL NO: 09/745,471 :

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: GROUP ART UNIT: 3652

FOR: SHEET CONVEYING DEVICE WITH A SHEET STORAGE

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 13, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 44 of this paper.

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